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SUBJECT: Bureau of Highway Instructional Memorandum 1999-23
Quality Control/Quality Assurance (QC/QA) Procedures Manual of Field Testing

All bituminous projects to be constructed during the 2000 construction season will use the sampling and testing procedures contained in the QC/QA Procedures Manual dated September 19, 1999. This manual was approved by the Engineering Operations Committee on November 9, 1999.

The procedures in the manual will also apply to carry over projects.

The manual has been updated to include procedures for using the Superpave Gyratory Compactor, Rounding Off Method, and eliminate the cure time step from the procedure for testing bituminous mixture samples.

This manual is available from MDOT-Publications, Attention: Mike Zbedski, 7500 Harris Road, Lansing, Michigan, 48909 (517-322-1675). If you have any comments or questions, contact Mike Frankhouse at 517-322-5672.

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